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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Richard Lundgren of Woodstock, who passed away on September 15, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Lundgren was born in Chicago on July 10, 1941 to Carl and Dorothy (nee Knock) Lundgren; he married Paula Wuerfel in Northlake on April 30, 1978; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Lundgren retired from the Cook County Sheriff's Office in 1994 after 30 years of service; he achieved the rank of Detective and served on many occasions as bodyguard for Mayor Richard M. Daley, Sheriff Richard Elrod, and Sheriff James O'Grady; he also worked as a truck driver for Dean Foods and as a plow driver for McHenry County through the Illinois Department of Transportation; he spent time working as a receptionist at Hearthstone Village in Woodstock; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Lundgren was preceded in death by his parents; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Lundgren is survived by his wife of 37 years, Paula Lundgren; his 5 children, Michelle (Al) Reuter, Cary (John) Crawford, Heather (Chris Hemp) Bennett, Heidi (Scot) Gibson, and Rich (Kristie) Lundgren; his 7

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1 grandchildren, Carlie Reuter, Caysie Reuter, Connor Naskrent,
2 Maxwell Lundgren, Tyler Gibson, Zachary Gibson, and Dexter
3 Lundgren; and his best friend and longtime partner on the
4 force, Donald Shaw; therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
7 Richard Lundgren, and extend our sincere condolences to his
8 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
9 further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to the family of Richard Lundgren as an expression of
12 our deepest sympathy.